

# Monroe County's Genesee Valley Park

## Points of Interest

### Genesee Valley Park

The 802 acres of historic character and features of Genesee Valley Park are considered valuable assets. The most significant evidence is the park landscape itself, north of the canal, in the Polo Field and the north Golf Course where the original pastoral Frederick Law Olmsted design shines through. Park visitors can still immerse themselves in a genuine, nineteenth century romantic landscape, as envisioned by the city fathers.

Genesee Valley holds a pivotal position, at the center of Monroe County (at the intersection of the Genesee River and the Barge Canal) becoming the hub of a continuous intra and inter-county recreational trail system.

The existing and proposed recreational trail network converges at Genesee Valley Park. It links almost every town in the County, and many elements of the city and county parks system.

### Paved Trail

A paved trail is available for bike riding, jogging and roller blading along the canal.

### Boat Launch / Fishing

Genesee Valley Park offers fishing and a car-top boat launch. (under the expressway)

### Playing Fields

As well as playing fields for soccer and softball, Genesee Valley Park is home to a unique cricket field.

### Golf Course

The facilities at Genesee Valley Golf include two eighteen-hole golf courses. The North course is a par 71 and was built in 1900 and the South Course is a par 67 and was built in 1929. Lessons, a teaching area, driving range and practice greens are available. Call (585) 424-2920 for more information.

### If you have rented a Shelter...

A park guard will stop by to check your permit.

### Genesee Valley Park Hours and Rules

Genesee Valley Park is open everyday from 6:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m. The shelters and lodges are reserved by calling 256-4950 and are available from 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 p.m. daily. Our County Parks are **Carry-In Carry-Out**. Please take all garbage with you to dispose of after you leave. Keg Beer is permitted if stamped on your rental permit. Recreation fields are available on a first come / first serve basis if the fields are not in league use. **Pets must be leashed.**

Trails are multiple use, unless noted otherwise. Enjoy walking, running, horseback riding and cross-country skiing. Please be aware of seasonal changes in trail conditions and be prepared for natural environment such as mosquitoes and poison ivy in some areas.

**Park Staff Assistance 271-5420 or 734-2739**  
**Information and Reservations 256-4950**

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LEGEND

Shelter

Parking

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Pedestrian Bridge

Golf

Soccer Field

Softball Field

Canoe launch

Park

City of Rochester

Genesee Greenway

Bicycle Path

Red Creek Trail

